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TAGS: OR, TW

SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY RE WU LI-SHENG

REF: (A) STATE 248078; (B) TAIPEI 7700, BOTH DEC. 1973

1. DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED FURTHER INQUIRY FROM SENATOR  
FULBRIGHT'S OFFICE REGARDING WHEREABOUTS OF WU LI-SHENG.

2. AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL HAS PROVIDED FULBRIGHT'S OFFICE  
WITH FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL DATA ON WU: "IN A LIST OF  
TAIWANESE PRISONERS PUBLISHED IN VOLUME 1 NUMBER 8 OF  
THE MAGAZINE 'RONIN', IT SAYS THAT WU LI-SHENG WAS A  
TEACHER WHO WAS CHARGED AND SENTENCED BECAUSE HE HAD  
TAKEN PART IN THE TU SHU HUI (BOOK STUDY GROUP - A LEFT-  
WING ORGANIZATION ACTIVE AMONG INTELLECTUALS IN SHANGHAI  
AND FUKIEN DURING THE 1930S AND 1940S). THIS WOULD  
FIT IN WITH OUR KNOWLEDGE THAT THE STATUTE FOR THE  
PUNISHMENT OF REBELLION UNDER WHICH HE WAS CHARGED WAS  
RETROACTIVE. HOWEVER, WE STILL DO NOT KNOW PERHAPS THE  
MOST IMPORTANT THING - NAMELY THE DATE HE WAS ARRESTED...  
WU LI-SHENG WAS A TEACHER AT THE KAOHSIUNG GIRLS NORMAL  
SCHOOL, KAOHSIUNG."

3. REQUEST EMBASSY COMMENTS.

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